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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

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In accordance with applicants' duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, we are enclosing form PTO-1449 listing information that may be material to the patentability of this application.

We are also enclosing a copy of the following citations that are listed in form PTO-1449: FR 2,561,883.

It is applicants' belief that none of the above citations describe that which is claimed in the present invention.

It should be understood that attention has been called to the citations that have been deemed to be pertinent to the claimed present invention. In concluding what was pertinent, the criteria employed was considered most appropriate in light of the

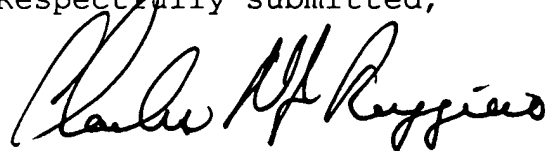
invention shown in the present application. However, the Examiner or others may deem some other criteria to be just as appropriate or more appropriate. Therefore, the Examiner is respectfully urged to review the listed citations and to make the usual careful independent search for other prior art that may be pertinent.

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e) FOR FILING I.D.S.

The undersigned attorney hereby certifies: That each item of information contained in the attached Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application no more than three (3) months prior to the filing of this statement.

Applicants respectfully request favorable consideration and that this application be passed to allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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